Courtesy Wheelchair Service Volunteers are Needed!! Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. *Apply now*

Be a part of our NEW highly regarded team of volunteers who transport, greet and welcome visitors and patients to their designated location. .volunteers plays a central role in providing a warm and welcoming environment for each of our visitors.

Patients as well as visiting friends and family members may not be able to walk long distances. Volunteers transport patients and visitors by wheelchair.

Volunteers receive training on safe wheelchair handling and patient transport, customer service, and patient confidentiality. The courtesy wheelchair service volunteer roles provide our volunteers with a great opportunity to work directly with patients while also experiencing the hospital environment in a major urban acute care facility.

In these roles, volunteers help transport outpatients and guests who need transportation support getting to clinics and hospital areas and bbecome familiar with multiple clinics and service areas throughout LAC+USC Medical Center, while experiencing a very high level of patient contact at the Medical Center as well become familiar with body mechanics and being physically active.

Courtesy wheel chair service volunteers act as advocates and liaisons for ambulatory Outpatients and Visitors at the time of arrival, by greeting guests in a prompt, caring and courteous manner; transporting guests to requested areas of the hospital or clinics.

Courtesy wheel chair service volunteers must be able to stand for long periods of time, push a wheelchair, and walk 1 to 3 miles during a four hour shift. Courtesy wheel chair service volunteers are assigned and stationed in Patient Transportation Department and Physical Therapy Department.

If you are interested in learning more about the Courtesy wheel chair volunteer service opportunities please call volunteer office (323) 409-6945 or submit your volunteer application to the Volunteer office 1K-311.

Thank you.

Coco Ceja, Director of Volunteer Services

Same Day Surgery patient greeting and wheelchair transportation

Adult Volunteers are NEEDED to assist with Same Day Surgery Patient Escorting. Volunteers must be willing to volunteer 200 hours and available to for a minimum of one (4) hour shift weekly - Monday through Friday

From 4:00 a.m. to 8:00 A.m.

- ➤ Be a part of our newly requested and highly regarded volunteer escort for Same Day Surgery Patients and their family.
- ➤ Volunteers will play a central role in providing a warm welcome to prescheduled surgery outpatients and their family
- ➤ Volunteers will greet and welcome prescheduled surgery outpatients and their family and if needed, transport via wheelchair to the same day Surgery unit.
- ➤ Volunteering in this service will provide you with a great opportunity to work directly with outpatients their families and the surgery team and gain knowledge into the realities of surgery services within the Medical Center.
- ➤ Volunteers will become familiar with body mechanics and be physically active. Must be able to stand and walk for up to 20 minutes at a time and push a wheelchair and stand up for the majority of a four hour shift.
- ➤ Volunteers will be stationed in the Clinic Tower information desk and assigned to the Same Day Surgery Department.
- ➤ Volunteers will receive training in customer service, greeting, patient confidentiality escorting and safe wheelchair transportation for outpatients.

Your support is very much needed to begin this new service in November.

Please contact the volunteer office if you can support with * a minimum of 200 hours * Can volunteer once a week for (1) four hour shift Monday through Friday (on a weekly basis) * Start at 4:00 a.m. and end your shift 8:00 a.m.

Thank you

Coco Ceja

Director of Volunteer Services